

COPENHAGEN

by Michael Frayn

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If you could return to a moment in time that shaped everything that came after it, what would you discover? That is the question Michael Frayn examines in his Tony award-winning play, COPENHAGEN. In 1941, Werner Heisenberg, a brilliant German physicist leading the Nazi atomic bomb team, met in Copenhagen with his mentor and close friend, quantum physicist Niels Bohr, a Jewish Dane living in Nazi-occupied Denmark. As Heisenberg and Bohr, along with Bohr's wife, Margrethe, relive that meeting from their vantage point of a theoretical space without boundaries, they discover in themselves both the uncertainties of human emotion and the consequences of moral responsibility. Frayn's extraordinary play takes these questions out of the realm of physics and World War II and places them firmly into today's volatile world with both humor and compassion.



Direction and Design by Deborah deCastro Braak

CAST

Niels Bohr Bill Braak
Werner Heisenberg Paul Recupero
Margrethe Bohr KT Newton

CREW

Producer Renee Schulz
Assistant Director Maureen Clarke
Lighting Design Andrew J. Cowles
Light Console Operator Steve DiNenno
Marnie Herzfeld